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Via Electronic Mail and Overnight Delivery

Mary L. Cottrell, Secretary
Department of Telecommunications and Energy
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
One South Station
Boston, MA 02110

Re: ***D.T.E. 98-57 Phase III***

Dear Secretary Cottrell:

Enclosed for filing please find an original and nine (9) copies of Covad Communications Company's Reply Comments in Response to the Hearing Officer's September 2, 2003 Procedural Memorandum, on the effect of the FCC's *Triennial Review Order* on the above-captioned proceeding. These comments are being filed in electronic format by e-mail attachment to dte.efiling@state.ma.us, as well as via overnight delivery. Please date-stamp the extra copy of this filing and return it to me in the enclosed stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Anthony Hansel

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Enclosures

cc: Jesse S. Reyes, Hearing Officer
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